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## 1. Derutra Reparations Shipments during January 1948.

Article	Amount	Origin	Destination
Barrack parts	89 tons	Burg bei Magdeburg	Frankfurt/Oder
	33 tons	Burg bei Magdeburg	Küstrin/Altstadt
	1,062 tons	Magdeburg-Neustadt	Küstrin/Altstadt
Wooden barracks	35 tons	Stassfurt	Frankfurt/Oder
Iron barrels	30 tons	Quedlinburg	Rostock
Railroad ties	14 tons	Arendsee	Guben
Paraffin	495 tons	Weissandt-Gölzau	Rostock
Sugar	1,590 tons	Oschersleben/Bode	Küstrin/Altstadt
Machine parts	218 tons	Aschersleben	Rosow
	445 tons	Stassfurt	Frankfurt/Oder
	53 cars	Bernburg	Brest-Litovsk
Rock salt	3,351 tons	Baalberge	Nestomitz
	3,535 tons	Bernburg	Nestomitz
	1,190 tons	Bernburg	Bad Schandau
	9,834 tons	Stassfurt	Schöna
	6,500 tons	Stassfurt	Bad Schandau
	5,408 tons	Stassfurt	Schönebeck
	215 tons	Stassfurt	Frankfurt/Oder
Calcium fluoride	970 tons	Ballenstedt	Königsberg
Agricultural machinery	560 tons	Bernburg	Frankfurt/Oder
Wood	280 tons	Gernrode	Königsberg
	34 cars	Bad Suderode	Forstenwalde
Wooden houses	450 tons	Güsten	Küstrin
	300 tons	Güsten	Frankfurt/Oder
Copper and brass	149 tons	Hettstedt	Rostock
Cement	1,196 tons	Nienburg/Saale	Aken/Elbe
	219 tons	Nienburg/Saale	Barby
	471 tons	Nienburg/Saale	Schönebeck
	701 tons	Nienburg/Saale	Küstrin
	685 tons	Nienburg/Saale	Wismar
	2,138 tons	Nienburg/Saale	Rostock
	106 cars	Nienburg/Saale	Brest-Litovsk

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<u>Article</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Origin</u>	<u>Destination</u>
Potash	107 tons	Stassfurt	Rostock
Cardboard	67 tons	Stassfurt	Frankfurt/Oder
Steel scrap	110 cars	Stassfurt	Kattowitz
Roofing paper	31 cars	Stassfurt	Wismar
Conveyor belts	5 tons	Magdeburg-Neustadt	Frankfurt/Oder

## 2. Goods Exported during January 1948.

<u>Article</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>	<u>Origin</u>	<u>Destination</u>
Food	2	Seehausen	Italy
Moulding sand	3	Wallwitz bei Halle	Switzerland
Wood, scrap metals, ores	2,128	-	Western zones (via Marienborn)
	886	-	Western zones (via Oebisfelde)

## 3. Goods Imported during January 1948.

<u>Origin</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>	<u>Article</u>
Western zones (via Marienborn)	6,826	Coal
	2,431	Iron and steel
Western zones (via Oebisfelde)	1,380	Coal
	867	Iron and steel
Poland	10	Hard coal

Reichsbahndirektion Cottbus

## 4. Goods Exported during January 1948.

<u>Destination</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>	<u>Article</u>
British zone	59	Wood for mines
	27	Glass
	11	Boards
	13	Miscellaneous goods
American zone	7	Glass
	5	Miscellaneous goods
French zone	2	Glass
Switzerland	2	Glass goods
Holland	1	Glass goods
Czechoslovakia	1	Boards
	37	Sand
	60	Lignite tar

## 5. Goods Imported during January 1948.

<u>Origin</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>	<u>Article</u>
Poland (via Wehrkirch)	1,159	Hard coal and coke
Poland (via Forst)	4,112	Hard coal and coke
British zone	58	Hard coal and coke
	1	Cast iron
	8	Miscellaneous goods
American zone	3	Miscellaneous goods

Reichsbahndirektion Dresden

## 6. Goods Exported to Other Zones via Gutenfürst during January 1948.

<u>Article</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>
Coal	61
Cellulose	23
Sugar	18
Clay	10

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## 7. Goods Imported from Other Zones via Gutenfürst during January 1948.

<u>Article</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>
Iron	43
Felspar	33
Acids	31
Pyrites	24

Reichsbahndirektion Erfurt

## 8. Goods Shipped to American and British zone via Gerstungen during January 1948.

<u>Article</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>
Food	8
Sugar	12
Table salt	5
Epsom salts	16
Building materials	23
Drugs	2
Textiles	5
Dyes	1
Paper goods	62
Cellulose wool	7
Wood cellulose	27
Wooden goods	40
Wood	20
Steel goods	24
Iron goods	26
Scrap	12
Machine parts	22
Glass goods	49
Fertilizers	57
Chemicals	163
Acids	27
Packing materials	39
Electrical appliances	11
Rubber goods	10
Earthenware	20
Miscellaneous goods	32

## 9. Goods received from American and British Zones via Gerstungen during January 1948.

<u>Article</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>	<u>Article</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>
Food	10	Iron goods	30
Salt	2	Machine parts	8
Epsom salts	2	Glass goods	10
Building materials	21	Fertilizers	8
Drugs	7	Chemicals	34
Textiles	8	Acids	27
Dyes	9	Packing materials	15
Paper goods	7	Electrical appliances	1
Cellulose wool	2	Fuel oils	2
Cellulose	1	Rubber goods	2
Wood	1	Coal	1
Steel	5	Miscellaneous goods	33

## 10. Reparations Shipments during January 1948.

<u>Article</u>	<u>Amount (in tons)</u>	<u>Origin</u>	<u>Destination</u>
Sugar	5,094	Zeitz	Frankfurt/Oder
	1,380	Artern	Brest-Litovsk
Cement	5,120	Göschwitz	Wismar & Königsberg
	4,779	Karsdorf	Rostock & Königsberg
Sodium sulphate	8,993	Leipzig	Wismar
		Kaiseroda	

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Article	Amount (in tons)	Origin	Destination
Rock salt	4,662	Leimbach-	
		Kaiserode	Czechoslovakia
Table salt	450	Stadtilm	Czechoslovakia
Wood for paper	9,464	Grossheringen	Königsberg
Calcium fluoride	1,382	Rottleberode	Königsberg
Gypsum	1,394	Rottleberode	Wismar
Wood	3,197	Erfurt	Warnemünde
	502	Gera-Süd	Warnemünde
	350	Eisfeld	Warnemünde
	320	Pottenbach	Warnemünde
Wooden houses	219	Gotha	Brest-Litovsk
	232	Walterhausen	Brest-litovsk
	540	Gera	Brest-Litovsk
Leather	205	Meiningen	Rostock
Narrow-gauge railway cars	1,594	Weimar	Brest-Litovsk
Spar	708	Wernshausen	Königsberg
Railroad ties	959	Wiessenfels	Brest-Litovsk
	1,437	Nordhausen	Brest-Litovsk
Scrap metal	682	Zeitz	Poland
	1,193	Naumburg	Stettin
	728	Zeitz	Insternburg
	723	Nordhausen	Stettin
	537	Gotha	Brest-Litovsk

11. Potassium salts were shipped to the following places during January 1948:

Destination	Amount (in tons)	Destination	Amount (in tons)
Wismar	4,922	Lübeck	30,233
Insternburg	2,006	Bremen	9,113
Hamburg	3,245	Island	33,438
		Czechoslovakia	12,800

#### Reichsbahndirektion Greifswald

12. Goods Exported during January 1948.

Destination	Number of Cars	Article
England (via Hamburg & Stettin-Freihafen)	748	Wood for mines
Poland	155	Scrap metal, wood for mines other wood
Denmark	72	Wood, railroad ties
British zone	173	Wood
Russia	1,113	Troops, vehicles, agricultural machinery, railroad ties, roof- ing materials, wood, airplane parts, wooden houses, fixtures, iron constructions
Stettin-Freihafen	3,976	Machinery, wood, transformers, bicycles, potassium salts, spirits, coal, furniture (Derutra)

13. Goods Imported during January 1948.

Origin	Number of Cars	Article
British zone	123	Coal and coke, fertilizers, raw iron
Poland (via Forst)	24	Coal

#### Reichsbahndirektion Schwerin

14. Reparations Shipments during January 1948

Destination	No. of Cars	Article	Destination	No. of Cars	Article
Rostock	1,583	Briquettes	Rostock	266	Textile
	631	Machinery		184	Buna
	387	Cement		130	Cable

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<u>Destination</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>	<u>Article</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>	<u>Article</u>
Rostock	109	Measuring instruments	61	Automobiles
	83	Kitchen equipment	48	Electrical equipment
	82	Roofing paper	33	Dyes
	81	Seed	34	Flooring
	74	Paraffin	27	Glass goods
	45	Wall tiles	24	Corundum
			173	Misc. goods
Wismar	466	Potassium salts & sodium sulphate	66	Coal
	109	Cement	77	Gypsum
	46	Sugar	28	Textiles
	726	Food	28	Boats
	129	Cardboard	46	Porcelain
			722	Misc. goods
Warnemünde	354	Briquettes	49	Hose
	180	Cement	43	Textiles
	71	Porcelain	312	Misc. goods
	70	Machinery		

#### 15. Goods Exported during January 1948

<u>Destination</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Article</u>
British zone		
a. via Herrnburg	1,442 cars	Wood for Hamburg, wood and potassium salts for Lübeck, wood for the Fuhr area
b. via Schwanheide	1,096 cars	Food, potassium salts, jute, grain, paper
Denmark (Danish ferry)	21 cars	Textiles
	2 cars	Wood
	9 cars	"Glysantin"
	1 car	Millstones
Russia	6 trains	Industrial equipment
	6 trains	Ammunitions
	5 trains	Scrap metal
	2 trains	Railroad ties
Russia		
a. via Rostock	22 steamers	Reparations goods
b. via Wismar	10 steamers	Sugar, piece goods, wood
c. via Warnemünde	5 steamers	Reparations goods
Scandinavian countries		
a. via Rostock	21 steamers & 91 sailboats	Briquettes
b. via Wismar	2 steamers & 17 sailboats	Potassium salts & sodium sulphate
	24 sailboats	Railroad ties, gypsum, grain, and potash
c. via Warnemünde	1 steamer & 29 sailboats	Briquettes

#### 16. Goods Imported during January 1948

<u>Origin</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Article</u>
British zone		
a. via Herrnburg	1,591 cars	Superphosphate, pyrites, raw iron, rubber, livestock
b. via Oebisfelde	99 cars	Coal
Denmark (Danish ferry)		
	3 cars	Barracks
	1 car	Preserves
	1 car	Clothing
	1 car	Woolen yarn

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17. Goods Exported during January 1948.

<u>Destination</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>	<u>Article</u>	<u>Destination</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>	<u>Article</u>
American zone	30	Coal	American zone	11	Building materials
	6	Fertilizers		34	Chemicals
	2	Salt		2	Metals
	2	Food		61	Misc. goods
British zone	1	Fertilizers	British zone	225	Wood
	1	Food		213	Chemicals
	8	Fuel oil		1	Piece good.
	6	Building materials		7	Metals
French zone	1	Salt	French zone	68	Misc. goods
	4	Building materials		4	Chemicals
Poland	3	Fertilizers		6	Metals
	110	Fuel oil	Poland	31	Chemicals
	9	Wood		746	Scrap
Czechoslovakia	2	Fertilizers		58	Misc. goods
Austria	96	Fertilizers	Czechoslovakia	3	Misc. goods
Hungary	25	Chemicals			
Yugoslavia	1	Metals			
Italy	4	Misc. goods			
Belgium	1	Metals			
Switzerland	915	Coal	Switzerland	10	Chemicals
Russia	541	Sugar	Russia	5	Scrap metal
	225	Building materials		883	Metals & machinery
	364	Wood		1,061	Misc. goods
	17	Chemicals			

18. Reparations Shipments during January 1948.

<u>Article</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>	<u>Article</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>
Fertilizers	2,142	Fuel oil	4,109
Wheat and flour	1,579	Coal	52,753
Potatoes	876	Building materials	3,460
Salt	778	Seed	29
Sugar	1,115	Wood	3,248
Livestock	189	Piece goods	2,877
Food	872	Miscellaneous goods	15,102

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